

3079 Cypress Gardens Road
Winter Haven, FL 33884
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Mr. Adam Putnam
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Bartow, FL 33830

Dear Mr. Putnam:

Recently, in our class we discussed the ruling on the words "under God" in the Pledge of Allegiance. We feel that the words should stay the same and not be changed for just a few people. If the pledge is changed, then our money, the Star Spangled Banner, our nation's motto, the Constitution, the history of our country, and many other things that contain the word "God," will also have to be changed. History can not be altered, no matter how much a person wants it to be. We strongly do not support these changes to our country. We feel that America will change because of these modifications. We also think that the adults should vote on whether or not it should be changed.

Sincerely,
Cypress Oaks School
Cypress Kids Club